REMARKS

Applicant intends to expressly abandon the pending reissue application, and does expressly abandon the application. Applicant also requests that the original patent, U.S. 6,335,046, be returned to Applicant.

CONCLUSION

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning the above response, Applicants request that the Examiner contact Applicant's attorney, John Fitzgerald, at 310-242-2667.

The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees in this matter to our Deposit Account No. 06-2425.

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